

Hartford Aug. 30. 1838.

Rev. A. A. Phelps,
Dear Sir,

Horace Bowles.



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The Executive Committee of the Connecticut Anti Slavery Society, at their meeting this day, have authorized and instructed me to renew their former application made to you through me to engage in their service as an agent in the Anti Slavery Cause, within this State, having your residence or head quarters, in this city, or the Depository, and holding yourself in readiness to serve the cause in such ways as the Committee, in consultation with yourself, may from time to time deem most conducive to the public welfare.

Permit me to add to the resolution of the Committee my individual wish that you may find it convenient and agreeable to yourself to serve your personal friends in your native State, in the manner above indicated, and that you may be permitted to enter immediately this field of labor, which seems already white for the harvest.

We are uncertain as to the present condition of your family, not having heard of late. May that God whom you serve, and in whom you can trust sustain you and them in all changes, and fit you thereby for a happy reunion in heaven.

Very truly, yours & theirs

Horace Bowles